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METHOD FOR RAPID FORMATION OF A STOCHASTIC MODEL REPRESENTATIVE OF A HETEROGENEOUS

UNDERGROUND RESERVOIR, CONSTRAINED BY DYNAMIC

DATA

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Specification and Abstract

Remarks are included following the amendments